



PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Michael Freed; Elango Confirmation No. 4136  
Ganesan  
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Title: LOAD BALANCING SECURE SOCKETS LAYER ACCELERATOR

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a one-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action mailed April 20, 2006, said period of response being extended from July 20, 2006 to August 20, 2006.

Our check in the amount of \$620.00 is enclosed which covers the required extension fee for a large entity. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 50-1778.

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